

Remarks/Arguments

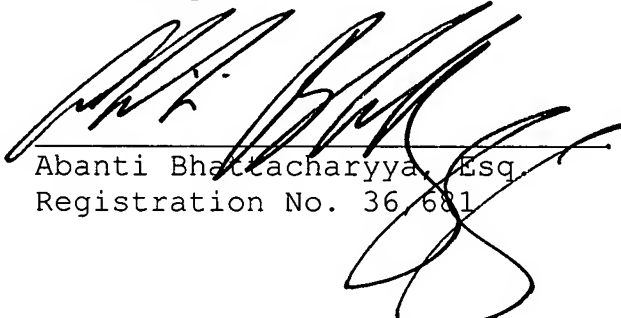
Applicants have cancelled claim 1, and further acknowledge the Examiner's conclusion that claims 2 through 12 are in condition for allowance. With respect to the Examiner's Office Action Summary, please note that claim 2 is an independent claim. Thus, the marking of item 6 on the Summary, that claims 1 through 12 are rejected, is incorrect. The correct notation is item 5, i.e. that claims 2 through 12 are allowed. Applicants respectfully request that the notation be corrected for the purposes of maintaining a proper file history. Applicants also acknowledge the prior art made of record but not relied upon.

In accordance with the Examiner's Office Action and the Applicants' amendment to the claims, claims 2 through 12 are now in condition for allowance. Early allowance of the claims is respectfully solicited.

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